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LEGAL SPECIALIST EDUCATION ACTIVITY APPLICATION

Include one copy of the application and all the attachments.

Include the \$75 non-refundable filing fee.

1) CONTACT INFORMATION

Contact Name: _____

Provider Name: _____

Provider Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ + _____

Web-site: _____ Phone: () - _____

E-mail: _____ Fax: () - _____

2) SPECIALTY AREA

- ☐ Appellate Law ☐ Bankruptcy Law ☐ Criminal Law ☐ Estate Planning Trust and Probate Law
☐ Family Law ☐ Immigration and Nationality Law ☐ Taxation Law ☐ Workers' Compensation Law

3) ACTIVITY

Activity Title: _____

Date and Time of Activity: _____

Number of Hours of Credit Requested: _____ (Use the Activity Content Attachment to specify category(ies) of credit.)

Is this an application for renewal? Yes ☐ No ☐ If 'Yes', program number: _____

Are you requesting approval for audio/video tapes of this activity? Yes ☐ No ☐

If you answered 'Yes' and the entire event is not being taped, please attach a sheet detailing which portions are being taped and how long each segment lasts. ☐ Additional Sheet Attached

Does this activity have substantive written materials? Yes ☐ No ☐ If yes, how many pages? _____

If this activity is over one hour in length it **MUST** be accompanied by substantive written materials to qualify for credit.

Promotional Materials

- ☐ Attach promotional material or an outline/description of the activity, including faculty and credentials

4) ATTESTATION

Read, sign, and date below. Your signature MUST be original.

I agree to comply with Section 7.0, Approval of Education Programs, of the Rules Governing the State Bar of California Program for Certifying Legal Specialists.

I agree that all educational activities offered for legal specialization educational credit shall meet the criteria for educational activities set forth in Section 7.3 of the Rules Governing the State Bar of California Program for Certifying Legal Specialists.

I agree to keep a record of attendance for six (6) years from the date of each educational offering. Information regarding attendance will be furnished to the Board of Legal Specialization (BLS) upon request by the BLS or the attendee.

I declare under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that the foregoing answers and statements are true and correct.

Name: _____

Signature

Title: _____ Date: _____

5) SUBMISSION CHECKLIST

- ☐ Include the appropriate Activity Content attachment for your activity and any required enclosures.
- ☐ Enclose \$75 application fee. Make checks payable to 'The State Bar of California.'
- ☐ Attach one copy of the application and all its attachments to this original.

MAIL TO:

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LEGAL SPECIALIST EDUCATION ACTIVITY
Family Law Activity Content Attachment

1) ACTIVITY INFORMATION _____

Provider Name: _____ Date: _____

Title of Activity: _____ Time: _____

2) ACTIVITY CONTENT _____

This section **MUST** be completed or the application **WILL NOT** be processed. Family Law educational content must fall into the following categories.

- (A) Dissolution of marriage, contempt and/or enforcement, or mediation (not including custody) and or negotiation of family law disputes.

(B) Custody of children, including advice of re-evaluation and custody mediation and litigation skills pertaining to expert and percipient witness

(C) Child support, spousal support or modification of support

(D) Division of community property, confirmation of separate property, or taxation issues incident to dissolution of marriage

(E) Psychological and counseling aspects of dissolution of marriage
- (F1) Paternity litigation

(F2) Adoption litigation

(F3) Problems of the non-marital family

(F6) Legal issues relating to domestic violence

(F7) Gaurdianships of the person or children

(F8) Law office management of a family law practice

SAMPLE

Date	Time	A	B	C	D	E	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5	F6	F7	F8
12/01/07	9:00-4:00		1.0			2.5		2.0	.5					1.0
Total Hours Requested														

**CERTIFICATE OF ATTENDANCE FOR CALIFORNIA LEGAL SPECIALIZATION
EDUCATION IN FAMILY LAW**

Provider	
Subject Matter/Title	
Date & Time of Activity	
Location	
Length of Activity	

California Legal Specialization credit was offered in the following areas:

AREA	HOURS OFFERED BY PROVIDER	HOURS CLAIMED BY PARTICIPANT
Dissolution of marriage, contempt and/or enforcement, mediation and/or negotiation		
Custody of children		
Child support, spousal support, modification of support		
Division of community property, confirmation of separate property, tax issues		
Psychological and counseling aspects		
Paternity litigation		
Adoption litigation		
Problems of non-marital family		
Writs and appeals from dissolution		
Proceedings to free minor from parent		
Problems of domestic violence		
Guardianships of the person or children		
Law office management of family practice		
TOTAL HOURS OFFERED/CLAIMED		

To be completed by the attorney after participation in the above-named activity:

By signing below, I certify that I participated in the activity described above and am entitled to claim California Legal Specialization credit as indicated in the "Hours Claimed by Participant" column.

Name: _____
PRINT

Signature: _____ Date: _____

Reminder: If the provider has not been granted credit for a particular area, you cannot claim credit for that area. Keep this record of attendance for at least one year from the date the California Board of Legal Specialization acts on your application for certification or recertification. In the event that you are audited by the Board, you may be asked to submit this record of attendance.

**RECORD OF ATTENDANCE FOR CALIFORNIA LEGAL SPECIALIZATION
EDUCATION IN FAMILY LAW**

Provider	
Subject Matter/Title	
Date & Time of Activity	
Location	
Length of Activity	

ELIGIBLE LEGAL SPECIALIZATION CREDIT:

AREA	HOURS
Dissolution of marriage, contempt and/or enforcement, mediation and/or negotiation	
Custody of children	
Child support, spousal support, modification of support	
Division of community property, confirmation of separate property, tax issues	
Psychological and counseling aspects	
Paternity litigation	
Adoption litigation	
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Problems of domestic violence	
Guardianships of the person or children	
Law office management of family practice	
TOTAL HOURS	

Name of Attendee	California State Bar No.	Attendee Signature

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